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Observations... From Around Town

(BY JAY WHOZIT)

On Monday morning the citizens of Bay St. Louis awoke to a sight never before witnessed in our town, girls wearing signs picketing the local office of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, workers of which had gone on strike at six o'clock that morning. The Garden Clubs of the entire Coast, including our own Bay-Waveland Garden Club, will entertain members of the Mississippi Federation of Garden Clubs, in convention on the Coast this month, and will really show the visitors a swell time. Politics are beginning to buzz again. This edition carries elsewhere, two more announcements, one for state senator, and the other for clerk of courts, with more to follow. There was a time when there were two telegraph offices in town, now there is just one and it is at least a mile and a half from the heart of town, there should be a branch some place within walking distance of the business district. The recent milk strike in nearby Louisiana cost the dairy farmers in this state over \$200,000, quite a sum for hard-working people to lose just because a couple of hard-headed guys can't decide what they want. Last week end Bay St. Louis, Waveland and the rest of the Coast section were hosts to the annual Easter season pilgrimage of teen-agers from New Orleans, who with many hundreds of adults enjoyed the spring weather and hospitality for which this Coast section is famous. In an editorial of Friday, April 4th, the Times-Picayune compares Governor Davis and Wright, of Louisiana, and Mississippi, favorably, commending the governor of Mississippi for his quick action in affording protection to the dairy farmers of his state during the recent milk strike in La., and denouncing the governor of Louisiana for his apparent lack of interest in providing police protection to the dairy farmers of his state. Hats off to Gov. Wright for his stand in the matter. There is a swell opportunity now for a wide-awake photographer and film developer to open a studio in Bay St. Louis. During the past week we have noted quite an improvement in the Beach business section, where the Sunshine Ice Cream Parlor and candy shop has replaced the Bay Pool Room. The Rotary Club will sponsor a joint band concert of the Bay High and St. Stanislaus bands on April 29th, be sure to attend and show your appreciation of these two swell bands and their leaders. Mrs. J. B. Goldman, who resigns this week as leader of the Girl Scout Troop 1, after having served in that capacity since 1932, congratulations, you have done your work well, and here's hoping your successor will follow your examples. The City school board of trustees are advertising for bids for an eight-class-room school building to replace the Valena C. Jones colored school, which was destroyed by fire some time ago, that's fine, by the way, we were getting some action. April has been designated as Cancer Control Month, and Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, is county chairman of the Cancer Control campaign for fluids to fight this dreaded disease. Give what you can, who knows, you may be the next to need help.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

Pere LeDuc 1522 Knights of Columbus concluded its weekly Corporate Communion on Easter Sunday morning at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, Bay St. Louis, Miss. This practice was carried out each Sunday at a different parish church with a good attendance each Sunday but Easter Sunday surpassed all with a total of ninety receiving Holy Communion in a body, occupying the front pews of the church. The Knights of Columbus flag and U. S. flag were carried each Sunday and placed one on each side of the altar in the front of the church during the celebration of the Mass. This observance started the first Sunday in Lent and continued until Easter Sunday. So much enthusiasm was shown in the weekly communion during Lent that the members have now decided to have monthly communion instead of quarterly communion. The first Sunday following the first Monday of each month has been designated as the day.

All necessary repairs have now been made to the roof of the Knights Home on Main Street and a new coat of green paint put on the roof. A new amplifier and microphone will soon be installed in the K. C. Home to be used at the benefit games and other activities of the council. Mr. George di Benedetto has been appointed a committee of one to make the purchase of same.

The new kitchen and equipment was used for the first time Sunday morning when breakfast of bacon and eggs, hot coffee and rolls were served to those going to communion.

Baptist Church Purchases Army Surplus Chapel

The First Baptist Church has purchased for \$1250, one of the Camp Van Dorn Surplus chapels from the United States Government, which will be moved to Bay St. Louis and reassembled on the church's lot in Main Street.

Rev. John T. Dearing, pastor of the local church, and a member of the building committee made a trip to Centerville and examined the chapel and found it in almost perfect condition and built of the very best material. It is 81 x 37 and has a wing 19 x 14. There are four Sunday school rooms in the main auditorium and two in the balcony, and two rest rooms. It is the plan of the church to add extra Sunday School rooms, a recreation room, kitchen and to build a parsonage.

The Bay St. Louis church's departure from its first plan to build a brick church became necessary because of the difficulty and delay involved in the purchase of building material. The present building became inadequate due to the fact that it is next to impossible to teach six classes in Sunday School in one auditorium. The purchase of the chapel became a must.

The work of demolishing and moving the chapel is to be completed within sixty days and during that time the foundation for the church will have been completed. It is also the plan of the church to use the brick veneer for the outside finish. The interior of the auditorium is of Gothic Architecture and finished in dark stain.

The members of the church are most grateful that through the combined efforts of the pastor and building committee and with faith and prayer that it has been possible to secure this chapel and at the nominal cost.

Attends Meeting of Coast Garden Clubs

Mrs. E. P. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Leo Seal and Mrs. Max Kohler attended the meeting of the representatives of the Coast Garden Clubs and completed plans for the State Convention of Federated Garden Clubs to be held at the Buena Vista Hotel April 21-23.

The garden tour through the City of Bay St. Louis is under the direction of Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Seal. There will be the tour of the city with points of interest pointed out to the visitors. Gardens open will be those of Mrs. J. T. Prowell and Mrs. Walter J. Gex. Tea will be served in the latter garden. There will be a tableau depicting Pirates in their boats on the front steps of the Pirate House but the house will not be opened to the visitors.

This brings about the subject of Clean Up Week. It is the duty of every citizen to show the right spirit and clean up their premises and let others from other parts of the state, who should dress it up in its best clothes and make of it a city that strangers will remember and want to visit again.

Hospital Notes

The Kings Daughters Hospital announces the following births for the week: Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Ladner, of Pass Christian, a son on Monday, April 7; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Grant, Gulfport, a daughter on Tuesday, April 8; Mr. and Mrs. Coburn Ladner, Bay St. Louis, a son, on Friday, April 4.

Meeting Of The Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

The regular meeting of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce was necessarily postponed from the first Thursday of this month to Tuesday, April 15th, at 7:30 p. m. at which time it will be held in the Court Room of the Courthouse. Further notice will be given the members by mail.

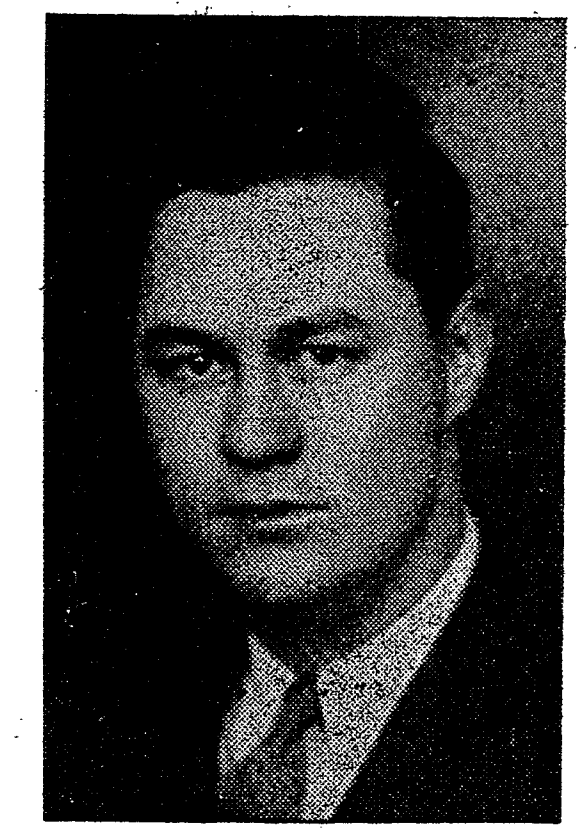
F. H. A. SUPERVISOR BEING TRANSFERRED

Mr. Ray Sinclair, F. H. A. Supervisor of Hancock County for the past several months, has just been notified that he is being sent to Bolivar County as Senior Supervisor. This transfer, taking effect April 14, is a nice promotion for Mr. Sinclair. During his tenure of office here his work has been outstanding with cash payments running 136 percent. This figure is the highest in the state.

Mr. Sinclair is being replaced by Mr. Charles F. Burrell, of Gulfport. Mr. Burrell has been connected with the Seed and Feed Loan of the U. S. D. A. for the past 12 years and is well qualified to supervise this County.

CORNELIUS J. LADNER ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR STATE SENATOR 40TH DIST.

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce the following:



CORNELIUS J. LADNER
To the Citizens of The 40th. Senatorial District:

I wish to take this means of announcing my Candidacy for the office of State Senator to the People from the 40th. Senatorial District composed of Hancock, Lamar, and Pearl River Counties. Your State Senator represents you in the State Senate in the Mississippi Legislature.

I was born and reared in Hancock County. I am 27 years old. Some may say, "Don't you think you are a little young?" Most of us know that the men who framed the State Constitution of 1890 were pretty level-headed men, and all of them decided that a man 25 years of age knew enough to hold down the job of State Senator, so it seems that I pass that qualification with 2 years to spare.

I graduated from Dedeaux School in 1935, from St. Stanislaus High School in 1939. I then entered Pearl River Junior College in August 1939, and graduated in May 1941. In September of that year I received one of those letters which read "GREETINGS—You have been selected." After serving 21 months in the Army of the United States, with service in the South Pacific, I again set out to finish my education that war cut short and entered the University of Mississippi in September 1944. In January 1947, this year, I withdrew in order to be able to contact you, the people, and make the race for State Senator from the 40th. Senatorial District. I will re-enter the University of Mississippi in September to finish the last 18 College hours in order to complete my LL.B degree in the School of Law after the election this summer.

I was reared on a farm in Hancock County; worked as a farm hand while attending Pearl River College in order to pay my way through the school. When you farmers start asking yourselves the question "Does he know what our problems are?", you can be sure that I can still follow a middlebush or swing a scuffle hoe all day long if necessary.

Through practical experience I think that I know the problems that face the school teachers, as I taught school for \$50.00 a month in the Public Schools in Hancock County, and in going through those experiences, I gained first hand information that will, if I am elected, help me in drafting legislation for the benefit of our schools and our teachers.

I stand for the improvement of our highway system so that we can continue to build hard-surfaced roads through the rural sections of this state enabling our farmers to get their produce to markets at market time.

I am for legislation drafted for the purpose of state aid to our city governments, so that they may build better streets, and make necessary improvements for the convenience of our people.

I will support legislation drafted for the purpose of benefiting our veterans of all wars.

I stand for legislation drafted for the purpose of aiding our aged citizens, hospitalization for the needy and the sick, so that they may be better provided for at all times.

My friends, we have just fought and won the greatest war that history has ever recorded. We have been forced to delay many needed changes in our local and state governments. This is the first post-war election since Pearl Harbor. This campaign marks the beginning of a new era, in which YOUTH is asking for a part in carrying on this government, for which we fought to preserve. Few of us are satisfied with conditions as they are today. We see the dire need on every hand to let me have a part in bettering your towns, your County, this District, and our State of Mississippi.

Respectfully submitted to:
You the People,
Cornelius J. Ladner

ROTARY CLUB TO SPONSOR JOINT BAND CONCERT

Bay High and Stanislaus in Joint Concert April 29

The Bay High Band under the direction of Prof. Pat Rooney and the St. Stanislaus Band directed by Brother Romuald will give a joint concert under the sponsorship of the Bay Rotary Club, Tuesday night, April 29th.

Both of these local school bands will participate in the State Band Contest, to be held in Jackson during the week of April 21st.

The following week the music lovers of Bay St. Louis will have the opportunity to hear the numbers the bands played in the state contest, as well as other band and solo numbers.

Be sure and plan to attend this joint concert. The price of admission will be 50 cents per person and the revenue obtained from this concert will enable both bands to buy sheet music and instruments they need.

Party at Taylor School April 7

A very enjoyable Easter party was given for the pupils of R. W. Taylor School on Monday, April 7. This party was made possible by the generous aid of several good friends of the school.

An afternoon of fun was furnished by a guessing contest, in which Joan Favre was the prize winner.

After the contest was over the children went into the yard where there were dozens of beautifully colored eggs hidden. There were prizes given for those finding the greatest number of eggs and Joan Favre, Thomas Mitchell and Vestil Poyadon won these prizes.

After the hunt was over delicious refreshments, consisting of cake and hot chocolate were served.

We want to thank those who helped to entertain the children and serve the refreshments.

Those helpers were Bobby Tanguis, Thomas Mitchell, Vestil Poyadon, Bebe Favre, Catherine Tanguis, Patsy Poyadon, Caro Mize and Harold George Netto.

Also Mrs. H. Y. Bourgeois and Mrs. Wm. Sick for help given during the entire afternoon program. This was really a "Red Letter" day for Taylor School and to everyone who in any way contributed to the success of this party, both teachers and pupils say "Thank you."

Field Director American Red Cross Visits

Miss Lee Ballentine field director American Red Cross, spent Tuesday in Bay St. Louis contacting the Red Cross personnel and checking on results of drives and publicity relative to the work.

Womans Society Christian Service to Meet, April 15

The Womans Society of Christian Service will meet on Tuesday, April 15, at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. S. J. Mauffray, 211 St. Joseph Street, Waveland. Mrs. N. C. Erwin and Mrs. Truman Hobbs will be co-hostesses.

Gulf Coast Trade School Opening Delayed

Opening of Gulf Coast Trade School will be delayed to May 1, 1947 due to non-arrival of equipment.

All applicants registered to date are requested to report to the school site on April 15, 1947, for preliminary registration and to arrange transportation facilities.

Veterans holding certificates of entitlement are requested to present same along with certified copies of discharge certificates when reporting on April 15th.

JOHN A. EGLOFF ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR CLERK OF COURTS



JOHN A. EGLOFF

The Sea Coast Echo is hereby authorized to announce the candidacy of Mr. John A. Egloff, for the office of Clerk of Courts of Hancock County. His statement follows:

To the Citizens and Voters of Hancock County:

I take this means of submitting to you my Candidacy for the office of Chancery and Circuit Clerk of Hancock County, an office to which I aspired in 1935.

Having been solicited by many friends, voters and taxpayers I decided to be a candidate to this all important office. The law does not permit me to succeed myself as Sheriff and Tax Collector and it has been my ambition to serve my home County as Clerk.

In making my announcement I am well aware of the many duties and responsibilities that go with this office. I am confident if elected I will be able to give to the people of the County an efficient, honest and able administration.

In my humble opinion I believe that I have rendered that service in the Sheriff's office which has met unanimous approval of the people of the County. I have given the Sheriff's office my undivided attention and I expect to render that same service if elected to the Clerk's office. I have given all my time to the Sheriff's office including many hours at night and I point to my record with Officers of the State Auditor, Motor Vehicle Comptroller, Public Safety State Commissioner, State Tax Commission and the other law enforcement officers and the attorneys of the Court.

When elected I expect to work with the Tax Assessor so that when deeds are recorded, have the transfers made immediately showing the new owner on the tax rolls, so that the tax assessments will show correct ownership.

As to my personal background I would like to give the following short biographical sketch:

I am 41 years old and a native and life long resident of Hancock County, son of the late F. H. Egloff and Marie Surcouf, who were likewise residents of this County. I received part of my education in the public schools where I was graduated as a member of the Class of 1926. In December 1932 I married Miss Mable Cuevas of Kiln, and we are blessed with three children. Before I was elected to the office of Sheriff and Tax Collector I was connected with the Coast Electric Power Association for nearly six years.

It is my desire to see every voter in the County personally before the primaries in August and I shall endeavor to do so but am taking this means of advising my many friends and supporters of my candidacy for the office of Clerk of the Chancery and Circuit Court.

Respectfully yours,
John A. Egloff.

American Legion Clement R. Bontemps Post No. 139 News

As announced in this paper of last week's issue, the Clement R. Bontemps Post No. 139 are steadily progressing with their plans to raise a building fund to erect modern Legion Home and bathing pier at the site adjacent to the V. F. W. home and directly opposite the Orthe Theater. In this connection, a general organization meeting was held on Thursday night, April 10th at 8:00 P. M. with the yulport Legionaires officiating and a majority of the membership attending.

From all indications, the opening day of the campaign program on May 15 at the Orthe Theater will be an outstanding one and will be as highly entertaining show with a matinee performance at 3:30 p. m. and a night show at 8:00. As mentioned before, all proceeds of both shows will go to the building fund and it is anticipated that the S. A. O. sign will be displayed at the box office. As mentioned before, each purchaser of tickets will have an opportunity of winning one of the valuable entrance prizes to be awarded regardless of whether they attend the show by either dropping the ticket stubs in the drawing box in the lobby or mailing them direct to the Legion Post who will see that they are inserted in ample time to participate in the drawing which will be at the night show.

The committees appointed to make the building fund campaign a complete success are cooperating wholeheartedly and the entire Post membership are looking forward to the day when they can say, "This is Our Home." Incidentally, speaking of memberships, how about you ex-service men who have not joined the Legion? Come on in and assist the Post in this worthy campaign.

At the conclusion of the meeting, a shrimp boil and refreshments were served which were enjoyed by everyone attending.

John F. Mauffray Dies At New Orleans

The New Orleans Times-Picayune of Tuesday, April 8 carried the notice of the death of John F. Mauffray, 77, who died at his New Orleans home, 3710 Clermont Drive on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. Mauffray was a native of Hancock County and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mauffray of Fenton. He was a first cousin of Joseph O. Mauffray of this city. He is survived by his wife the former Miss Eliza Schriber, three daughters Mrs. James J. Miller, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. E. J. Traub, of Houston, Texas; Mrs. W. A. Glennon, New Orleans; three sons, Schriber J. and John P. Mauffray of New Orleans and Captain Roy Mauffray, United States Army, Sulson, California.

Other relatives are his sisters Miss Helena Mauffray, RN., of Gulfport, who was the only woman and nurse to go overseas from this county during World War I and Mrs. Joseph Curet of Fenton and a sister in New York.

Given Award For Services Rendered

Mrs. J. Briscoe Goldman, organist for the Main Street Methodist Church was presented with a Sterling silver water pitcher at the close of the morning service on Sunday. The inscription testified that it was given in recognition of the service she had rendered the church—and its work over a lengthy period of years. The presentations were made by Dr. J. A. Evans, chairman of the Board of Stewards.

Mrs. Goldman has been organist for the church, leader of the Girl Scouts, which is sponsored by the Methodist church, chairman of the Junior Red Cross, and other such activities and was every way deserving of the recognition given her.

Altar Society News

Our next meeting will be held at the Convent at 3:30 on Wednesday, 16th. We hope to hold as good a meeting as we have yet had, because we must work toward our goal of a big Centennial Celebration, and it is fitting that the Altar Society should do its share toward that end. So come on all you members who are always faithful in attending and all of you who are not usually come, try to make an effort this time, won't you?

Charles Lyman Hosmer Dies at Covington, La.

Charles Lyman Hosmer, died at Covington, La., on Monday, April 7. Mr. Hosmer was 77 years of age and leaves one daughter Miss Emily (Fifi) Hosmer who is well known here.

The funeral was held on Tuesday at 3 p. m. in Covington and he was buried in Covington cemetery. Religious services were conducted by Rev. Father Caniclus, pastor of St. Peter's Catholic Church.

Rev. P. E. Pierce To Be Absent For Two Weeks

Rev. P. E. Pierce will be absent from his pulpit at the Methodist church for two weeks and announces that during his absence the morning and evening services will be held as usual. Dr. Restin Heath will preach for both Sunday evening services. Rev. J. L. Neill, superintendent Seashore District, will preach on Sunday, April 13 at 11 a. m. and on April 20 the 11 o'clock service will be conducted by Mr. Eddie Khayat of Moss Point, associate district lay leader. Wednesday evening prayer meetings will be held on Wednesday, April 9 and 16 led by Mrs. F. J. Nelson.

Mr. Pierce further announces that except for the week ends when Rev. John T. Dearing, Breath's Lane is here Dr. Heath, Kiln and Rev. W. S. Allen, Pass Christian will be the nearest Protestant ministers.

Dogs Must Be Kept Off Streets

Due to the large number of people who have been bitten by dogs in the past few weeks, Mayor G. Y. Blaise announces that all dogs found running loose on the streets of Bay St. Louis after May 1, 1947 will be destroyed.

There is a state law and a city ordinance requiring all dogs to be vaccinated against rabies and a city ordinance requiring all dogs to be kept up or on leash at all times.

Womans Missionary Society Holds Meeting

The Mission Study of the Womans Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met with the president of the society Mrs. Thomas B. Sellers at her home.

Mrs. John T. Dearing reviewed the book "Shining Like the Stars," by Dye which was one of the assignments for Home Missions. At the close of the program Mrs. Sellers served delicious refreshments.

Appointed Assistant Officer

Dan M. Russell, Hancock County service officer for the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, has named Henry Capdepon as assistant officer.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

An interesting social event of last week was the miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Dorothy Bertucci who will be married here this month to Mr. Lucas F. Pucheu, Jr.

The shower was given at the Bertucci club with Mrs. Lucas Pucheu and Miss Amelia Bertucci entertaining jointly. Assisting them were Mrs. Norman Rice and Mrs. William Bertucci.

The spring colors of pink and yellow were carried out in the decorations and refreshments and for the receiving of her gifts the bride-elect was seated under a large pink and white umbrella. She wore a tulle dress of gold crepe with a small hat of matching color and a corsage of blue violets.

Each of the guest was presented with a tricky party hat which was placed on the head of the guest and party favors of pink hats filled with candy. In the dining room where refreshments were served the table was covered with a lace cloth and a centerpiece of pink roses and fern and candelabra holding tall pink and yellow candles.

For novelty and laughs there were some April Fool packages and a gift was presented to the guest who was the donor of each tenth package.

Those attending were Mesdames A. J. Noto, J. P. Duro, Norman Rice, William Green, C. J. Lyons, R. Bourgeois, Anthony Palmisano, George Curet, G. Parker, Ogden Kergosien, Josephine Cacioppo, A. Heintz, S. Heintz, Carlos Green, Billy Bourgeois, O. Curet, Louis Taconi, I. J. Kenmar, Charles Rhodes, Jennie Benigno, Douglas Bourgeois, John Ploque, J. B. Goldman, J. R. Scharrif, Sylvester Chinciche, Laurent Sclckson, R. Carrio, Alvin Genin, C. G. McDonald, C. Glover, Isabella Joyner, Charles Bains, Louis Maus, J. Roland Weston, Thomas McCaleb, Peter Chinciche, William Bertucci, J. Chinciche and Misses Chinciche, Marylou Bourgeois, Juliette Johnston, Margaret and Myrtle Cook, Mat Blehl, Mary Kittler, Rosemary Blaise.

Selected as Preacher For New Life Mission

Dr. Roy H. Kleiser, pastor of the First Methodist church at Laurel and former pastor of the Capitol Street Methodist church at Jackson, has been selected as the preacher for the New Life Mission of the Bay St. Louis Methodist church, April 30 through May 9.

This Mission is part of an evangelical Program which will cover the entire Seashore District.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Bay-Waveland Garden Club are sponsors of an invitation to approximately 300 delegates of the MISSISSIPPI STATE GARDEN CLUB, the parent organization, to visit the City of Bay Saint Louis and Town of Waveland, on a garden tour, and

WHEREAS, it is most fitting and proper that the entire citizenry cooperate in a "CLEAN-UP" campaign.

WHEREAS, the said delegates are guests of the local Bay-Waveland Garden Club, the co-operation of our citizens of Bay Saint Louis is respectfully requested, civic pride predominating, our City will be one of the show places of the Mississippi Gulf Coast and on these premises, it is hereby officially proclaimed by the Mayor and Commission Council of the City of Bay Saint Louis for the period of April 11th to April 21st, be designated as "CLEAN-UP" campaign and the entire population of our City is to take such necessary steps and measures in order to beautify our City so that the guests of the Bay-Waveland Garden Club may well be impressed as to the cleanliness and the beauty of our City.

DONE AT THE CITY HALL this 10th day of April, A. D. 1947.

G. Y. BLAIZE, Mayor.
W. L. BOURGEOIS,
H. GRADY PERKINS, Commissioners

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Waveland News

John Cahill of New Orleans, spent the Easter Holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sauer.

Mrs. Harry Zimmerman who underwent an operation in the Touro Infirmary in New Orleans is home again we are happy to report.

Miss Rosemary Holderith has returned to Mississippi State College for Women, where she is a member of the senior class. She spent the

Easter vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carrere had their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Carrere, Jr., and other house guests over for the Easter holidays.

Mr. John Eckerle is well enough again to be back on his job at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sunseri and family spent the Easter Holidays at their home on the Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sauer were over at their cottage for the week end.

Mr. J. T. Connor who has purchased the former Monchow home

is tearing it down and will build a new home in its place.

We are proud to report that Adrian (Buddy) Hava, has been admitted to Loyola School of Dentistry. Congratulations and good luck, Buddy.

Dr. Marshall Mitchell and son, Marshall, Jr., were over for the week end.

Mr. Thomas Swayze spent the Easter holidays with his relatives, the Rand family.

Miss Henrietta Higen spent the Easter holidays at her cottage in Tannerville Subv.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mazarakis are with Mr. Mazarakis' parents and expect to remain here awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Salaun had their grandson Adolph Assenheimer over for the Easter holidays. Their son-in-law and daughter and granddaughter Elvere came over for the day, Sunday, to celebrate Mrs. E. J. Salaun's birthday.

Mrs. William Graham and son and Mrs. B. Legendre spent the Easter holidays in New Orleans as the guests of Mrs. Legendre's sister, Mrs. S. Toney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Walsdorf and their children Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pellerin and son, Norvin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Bourgeois and son, Charles, Jr., and daughter Judy and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walsdorf and daughter, Gayle had a happy family reunion on Easter. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brandt were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walsdorf on Easter.

To Present Class In Comedy

Mrs. Norton Haas, head of the English department of the Kiln High school is presenting her sophomore class in a three act comedy "A Ready-Made Family" in the school auditorium, on Friday, April 11. The proceeds to go to the Sophomore class.

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WANTED TO RENT
For permanent employee who will move here June 1. Unfurnished, two bed room house or apartment. Please list what you will have at office of Coast Electric Power Assn. (R. E. A.)
4/11/tchq.

WANTED TO RENT
New Orleans Business man needs house with three bed rooms, two baths, usual other rooms. Will sign lease for two years. \$75.00 to \$100.00 per month. Answer C/o Echo.
3/21/tchq.

FOUND
Airedale—last Saturday on Bayou LaCroix—Alfred Toon Favre, Star Route 1.
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FOR SALE
LARGE Two-wheel Factory Built trailer—Good condition. Phone 395-W.
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FOR SALE
International 1 1/2-ton truck; good condition; new tires; \$600.00. 246 Ballentine Street.
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FOR SALE
Several Homes in Colored section—Henry T. Fayard, Sr.
4/4/tchq.

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2 Double Beds, 2 Simmons. Coil Springs and 2 felt Mattresses. 1 Clothes Hamper, practically new 263-M or 202 Carroll avenue
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FOR SALE
Furniture—All metal ice box, 100-lb. capacity, large armchair, chairs, dresser, etc. 429 Main St.
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FOR SALE
9-Piece Oak Dining Room set \$40.00. 201 Union St.
4/11/tchq.

FOR SALE
Evening Dress—white, size 14, worn only once. Phone 56-W. 636 No. Beach.
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FOR SALE
Beverage Cooler—large size, practically new. Phone 56-W. 636 No. Beach.
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Antique Bedroom Set—complete with spring and mattress. Phone 56-W. 636 No. Beach.
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KILN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Staub of New Orleans spent the week end in Kiln.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bourgeois and children and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carvin, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Olson, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Castro and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Benigno and sons of Bay St. Louis visited Mr. and Mrs. Jarius Necaise Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Favre entertained their children with an Easter egg hunt. There was a large number of children who attended. Eddie Chouest, Bernie and Tommy Benigno, Judy and Elizabeth Morris, Carolyn and Laurie Curet, Marvin, David, Albert, Richard, Leonard, Janet and Gloria Lacoste, Rosary, Susana, Jimmy and Martin Favre.

There was a Solemn High Mass here Easter Sunday at 10:15. There was a large attendance. The altar was decorated beautifully.

The dance that was given at Kiln school by Supt. H. R. Morris and students was a great success. Mr. Morris has really built the school up this year.

AN ORDINANCE
GRANTING AN ELECTRIC FRANCHISE TO MISSISSIPPI POWER COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, IN THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi:

SECTION 1. In consideration of the benefits that will accrue to the City of Bay St. Louis, and the inhabitants thereof, and of the payment by the Grantee to the City of a sum of money equal to two per centum (2%) per year of the total revenue of the Grantee from the sales of electric energy, excepting therefrom sales for resale and sales in interchange of energy with others, within the corporate limits of the City, or the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) per year, whichever is the greater, payable quarterly on or before thirty days following the close of each calendar quarter during such period as the Grantee operates in said City, but not to exceed twenty-five (25) years from the effective date of this ordinance, Mississippi Power Company, its successors and assigns, is hereby given and vested with the right, authority, easement, privilege and franchise to construct, erect, suspend, install, renew, repair, maintain, operate and conduct in the City a plant or plants and system for the manufacture, distribution and transmission of electric energy for all purposes whatsoever.

SECTION 2. The Grantee is hereby further given and vested with the right, authority, easement, privilege and franchise to construct, erect, suspend, renew, repair, maintain, operate and conduct in the City a system of poles, towers, conduits, cables, conductors, transforming stations, fittings and all appliances or appurtenances necessary or desirable to the transmission, distribution, or sale of electric energy for all purposes whatsoever in, over, under along upon and across all streets, avenues, alleys, ways, bridges, and public places in the City as they now exist or may hereafter be laid out or extended, together with the further right, privilege and franchise to construct, erect, suspend, install, renew, repair, maintain, operate and conduct in the City such poles, towers, conduits, cables, wires, conductors, transforming stations, fittings and all appliances and appurtenances necessary or desirable to the transmission within, into, through, over and beyond the City and furnishing, supplying and distributing to the City and to the inhabitants and corporations both within and beyond the limits thereof, electric energy for lighting, heating, power and all other purposes for which electric energy may be used now or hereafter, and for the purpose of extending its lines and furnishing electric energy beyond the limits of the City.

SECTION 3. The poles, towers, conduits, cables, conductors, transforming stations, fittings, appliances and appurtenances shall be so constructed as not unreasonably to interfere with the proper use of the streets, avenues, alleys, ways, bridges and public places in the City and shall be maintained in a reasonably good condition and repair.

SECTION 4. Whenever the Grantee shall cause any opening or alteration to be made in any of the streets, avenues, alleys, ways, bridges or public places of the City for the purpose of installing, maintaining, operating, or repairing any poles, towers, conduits, cables and other appliances, the work shall be completed within a reasonable time and the Grantee shall upon the completion of such work restore such portion of the streets, avenues, alleys, ways, bridges or other public places to as good condition as it was before the opening or alteration was so made.

SECTION 5. The Grantee shall hold the City harmless for any and all liability or damages resulting from the negligence of the Grantee in the construction, maintenance or operation of its poles, towers, conduits, wires, cables and other appliances.

SECTION 6. The Grantee may, from time to time, declare, make and enforce reasonable rules and regulations as conditions for the sale and distribution of its electric energy to any person, firm or corporation.

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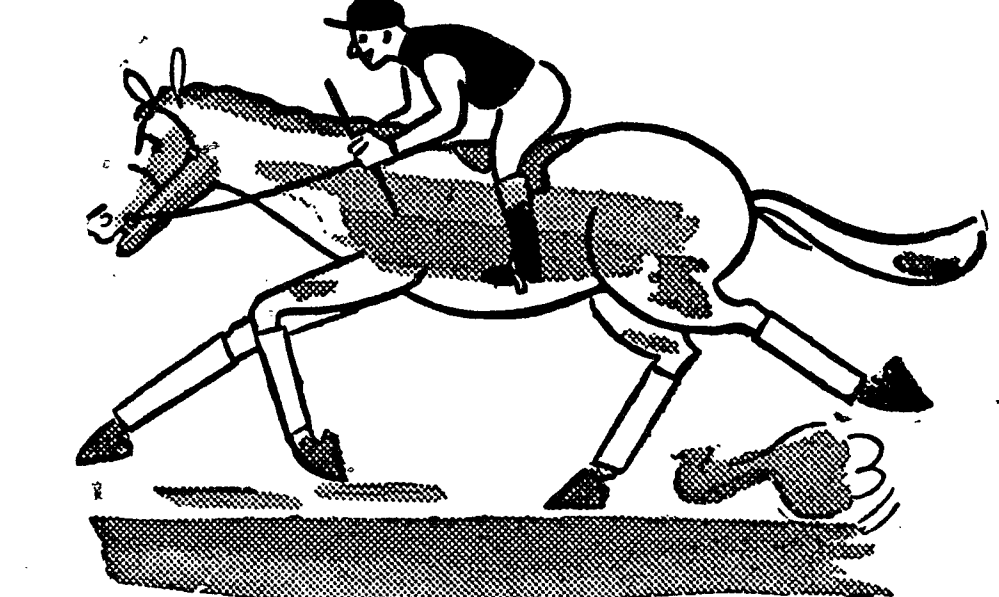
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SECTION 7. In the event the supply of electric energy should be interrupted or fail by reason of accident or otherwise beyond the control of the Grantee, the Grantee shall restore the service within a reasonable time and such interruption shall not constitute a breach of this franchise, nor shall the Grantee be liable for damages by reason of such interruption or failure.

SECTION 8. Wherever in this ordinance either the City or the Grantee is named or referred to, it shall be deemed to include the respective successors, successors or assigns of either, and all rights, privileges and obligations herein conferred shall bind and inure to the benefit of such successor, successors or assigns of the City or of the Grantee.

SECTION 9. This franchise is in lieu of a franchise granted by the City of Bay St. Louis, to Mississippi Power Company, its successors and assigns, by ordinance dated the 3 day of December, 1927, recorded in Minute Book 8, Pages 398-400, and Ordinance Book 2, Pages 107, of the City, now held and owned by the Grantee, which upon the effective date of this ordinance, by mutual consent of the parties thereto, shall be no longer in force and effect. This franchise is in addition to and supplemental to any and all such rights as the Grantee may have by virtue of the provisions of any section of the Mississippi Code of 1942 and its acceptance and exercise by the Grantee shall never be construed as a waiver nor abandonment of nor as a limitation upon the rights now vested in or being exercised by the Grantee under any statute of the State of Mississippi.

SECTION 10. The rights hereby granted shall become effective upon the passage of this ordinance and continue for a period of twenty-five (25) years thereafter.

SECTION 11. If any clause, provision or section of this ordinance is illegal, or is not cognate to the subject expressed in the title, the remaining provisions hereof shall not be thereby affected but shall have full force and operation.

SECTION 12. The Grantee shall pay the City the cost of publishing this ordinance according to law and also the cost of holding an election for the approval or disapproval, by the qualified electors of the City, of this ordinance.

SECTION 13. This ordinance shall not become effective until it is duly passed by the Council, published as required by law and approved by a majority vote of qualified electors voting thereon as required by Section 3905 of the Mississippi Code of 1942.

considered by sections at a public meeting of the Council and upon motion of Mr. H. Grady Perkins, duly seconded by Mr. W. L. Bourgeois, that it be adopted, a final vote and may vote was taken which resulted as follows:

Voting: Yea
G. Y. BLAIZE
H. GRADY PERKINS
W. L. BOURGEOIS

Voting Nay: None.
Whereupon it was declared adopted.

Approved this the 17 day of February, A. D. 1947.
G. Y. Blaize, Mayor
H. Grady Perkins, Clerk.

Attest: H. Grady Perkins
Clerk.

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned H. Grady Perkins, Clerk of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 109 adopted by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Bay St. Louis on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1947, and ratified by the electors of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at an election called for that purpose held on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1947, at which election a majority of those voting voted in favor of the aforesaid ordinance. Said ordinance is entitled: "An ordinance granting an electric franchise to the Mississippi Power Company, its successors and assigns, in the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi," and has been recorded in Minute Book 5, at Pages 552-553 of the minutes of the municipal board of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

Witness my signature and official seal of office this the 10th day of April, A. D. 1947.

H. GRADY PERKINS
City Clerk of Bay St. Louis, Miss.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Mrs. Jane F. O'Donnell Waggoner, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose post office address is 1225 Pine Street, New Orleans, La., Mrs. Clara Ida O'Donnell Warren, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose post office address is 2993 Canbrome Street, New Orleans, La., Mrs. Ida Fountain O'Donnell, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, whose post office address is 932 Joseph Street, New Orleans, La.,

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5289 in said Court of Mrs. Louise Caldwell Kellogg.

The same being a suit to quiet and hereby finally adopted by the Council, read by the Clerk at a regular meeting of the Council and thereafter remained on file with the Clerk for public inspection for at least two weeks before the final passage thereof and was read and

1947.
(SEAL) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

To VETERANS AND THEIR BRIDES or Their Brides-to-Be....



Watch for the men who wear this button on the lapel of their coats. These are the boys to whom we owe so much... former service men, honorably discharged. Let's go out of our way to give these fellows a break. Let's show our gratitude to them in every possible way. If it were not for them, we would find the barbaric Jap on our own doorstep right now... our country invaded.

We are reserving a royal welcome for every service man and his bride, or bride-to-be, who visit our store. And this welcome will be just as cordial, just as sincere, just as warm whether they buy or not. They are welcome to come here at any time, stay as long as they like and just "aisle-shop." If they want to make a purchase, we'll see to it that they get a "top" value with the longest, easiest, most liberal terms possible to extend.

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"Stunt Day" At Bay High Held Wednesday of Last Week

Wednesday was "Stunt Day" at Bay High and each high school class showed their ability as well as cleverness in having a stunt all their own and doing it in the most clever way possible.

The freshmen class opened with a baby contest and when the curtain rose on a group of all important freshmen in the robes of babies and sucking milk through a rubber nipple the spectators broke into wild applause. These newly made high school students who are always the brunt of the other high schoolers, carried off their parts of snatching

at each others toys and yelling for their parents in real baby wails. A. B. Duboussion sponsors the Freshmen.

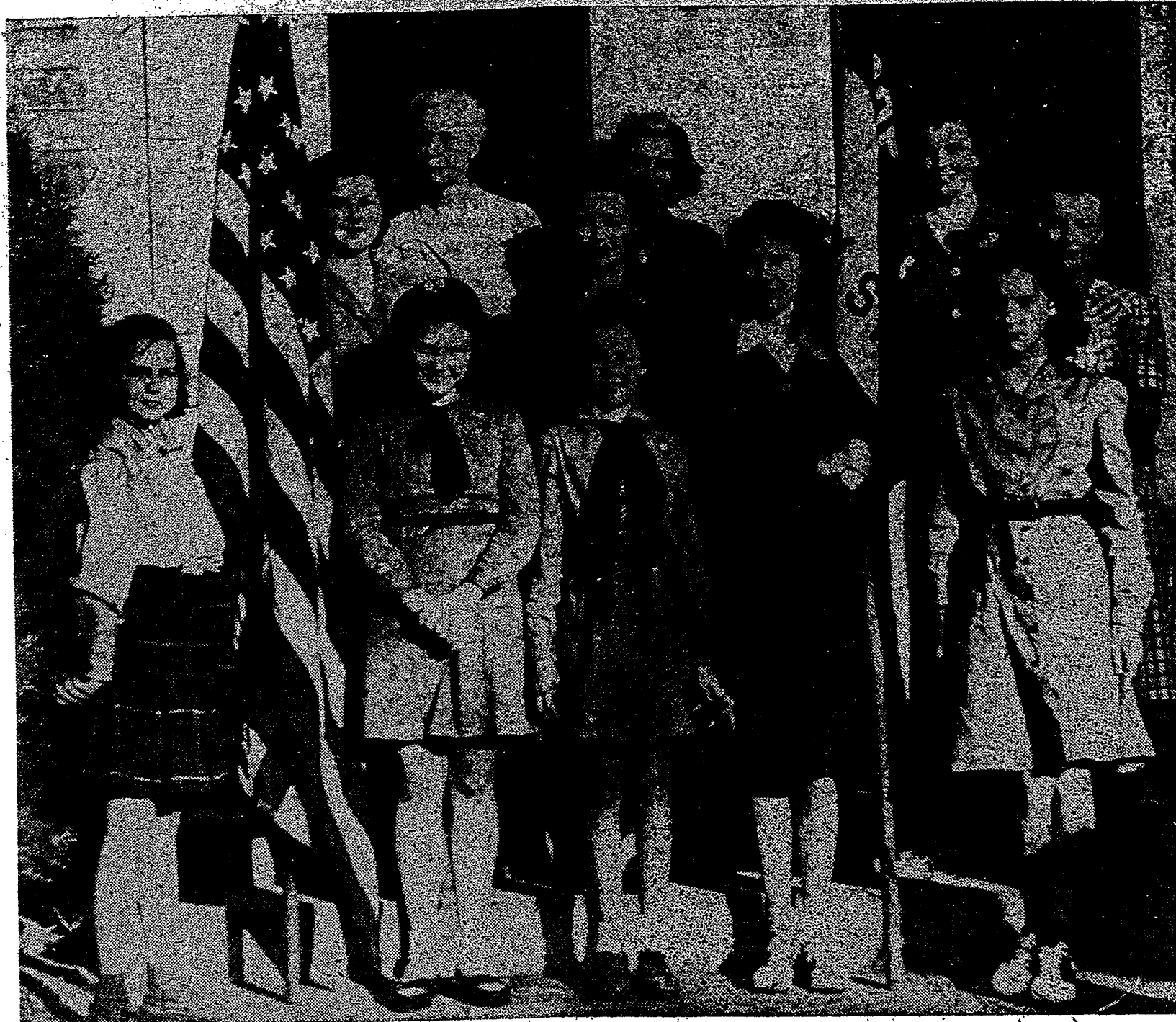
Miss Mary Kittrell presented the Sophomore class in a burlesque of Ophelia and Eurydice which was well done both in song and acting. It was a riot and it would be next to impossible to select the banner student in this. This class stunt was voted the best and was awarded the prize.

The junior class, under Miss Julia Blaize, took a Dude Ranch for their setting and dressed the part. There was the guitar, the bandana handkerchief, the songs, along with the drawl. The dancing was ranchy to the extreme and real western "where the wild coyotes roam" and the audience was hilarious.

When the announcer for the senior class said this will be the students of Bay High's 1947 class ten years hence necks began to crane and a restless pervaded the auditorium until the curtain went up. It did some good research work and peering into the future to picture these young people ten years hence. Nothing at Bay High is complete without a contribution from Pat Rooney's band and the number was well received. The accident war stunt was better than good as well as some of the others and taken together it was very clever. Mrs. George Curet sponsors this class.

As a whole it was pleasant hour and a good panacea for the over tired adult of today.

—HAVE YOU JOINED THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE?



First Row, left to right: Sylvia Horton, Tempie Perkins, Betty Favre, Daun Sellier, Carroll Turner. Back Row: Mrs. John Dearing, Mrs. J. B. Goldman, Mrs. Richard Shadoin, Mrs. Grady Perkins, Mrs. Phillip, Mrs. Gordon Romanoff.

Troop No. 1 Girl Scouts Activities

Troop 1 Girl Scouts of America, sponsored by the Methodist church of Bay St. Louis is undergoing a thorough spring cleaning this year, and is getting new, young ladies in all departments.

Mrs. J. B. Goldman is resigning. She has been leader since the troop was organized in 1932, except for the first three months, when Miss Helen Vaughn, who helped organize it was leader. Assistant leaders during this period were Mrs. Laurent Dickson, Mrs. James Campbell, Mrs. Gladys Chapman, Miss Regina Blaize, Mrs. Lucile Anderson, Mrs. William

R. Pitcairn, Mrs. Frank Vendevender, Miss Mary Kittrell, and Mrs. Ed. Smith. Many others have helped with troop activities but the above were registered as leaders.

Mrs. Phillip Pierce, who has a Masters Degree in social and group work and has four years experience in Nashville, Tenn., as Girl Scout and Brownie Leader, will be the new leader with Mrs. Gordon Romanoff as assistant. The new troop committee consists of a representative of each church: Mrs. C. C. Stone, Methodist, Mrs. John T. Dearing, Baptist, Mrs. Richard Shadoin, Episcopal, Mrs. H. Grady Perkins, Catholic. The committee gives the leaders community backing and neighborhood interest, moral support and help with troop activities. They are also responsible for keeping a competent leader for the troop.

A meeting was held on Monday, March 10 for the purpose of reorganization, at which time the above picture was taken. A drive for new members is being held. Mrs. Goldman talked to the girls of the fourth and fifth grades at Bay Central School, Monday, Mar. 31 and seven prospective scouts attended the meeting that afternoon.

Mrs. Pierce has many fine new plans for the troop including a two or three day camping trip after the close of school. To join, a girl must be between the ages of 10 and 14, attend four meetings, pass the Tenderfoot test and pay the National membership dues of \$5.00 a year.

Scouting is a wonderful mixture of work and fun, and girls learn to be happy, dependable, citizens and homemakers. In the words of their retiring leader—

S is for sincerity in everything you do,
C is for the courage to see the hard things through,
O is for the oath you take, the promise that you give,
U is for your usefulness, you really learn to live,
T is for the truth you tell, your honor stands the test
Scout the word that means to me a girl who does her best.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To the unknown heirs at law of M. & J. Neale, Deceased; Esmeraldo Murphy, if alive and if dead her unknown heirs at law or legatees; Alice Mitchell, if alive and if dead her unknown heirs at law or legatees; and any and all persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described property, to-wit:

Lot 275, Third Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the present official map or plat of said City made by E. S. Drake, C. E. and filed for record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Miss., on May 1st, 1923.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947 to defend the suit No. 5283 in said Court of Leola B. Capdepon.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 7th day of April, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Alice Raboteau, a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.; Marlene Raboteau, a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.; Albert Raboteau, Jr., a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5275 in said Court of Doris Peterson Ludwig, wherein you are a defendant.

This 24 day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

RED-CROSS NEWS

Information regarding the return of World War II dead has been received by the local Red Cross chapter. Anyone wishing this information or assistance in filling out any forms, concerning this matter, may contact the Red Cross office on the second floor of the Courthouse.

On Easter Sunday, the trays and tables will be brightened for the "boys" of the Gulfport Veterans Hospital because of the many Junior Red Cross workers. Several hundred nut cups were made and decorated by the Junior Red Cross members of the Waveland and Gulfview schools. While the St. Joseph Academy members made attractive menu covers.

Flowers have been sent for the hospital chapel by our local Red Cross Chapter.

Bay High Junior members made favors for Valentine, St. Patrick's Day and Washington's birthday.

A group of ladies met Miss Fay Bryan, American Red Cross Field Representative and Mrs. Walter White, a Gray Lady at the home of Mrs. Leo Seal on Friday of last week.

At this meeting, Miss Bryan explained in detail, the duties of the Red Cross Gray Ladies. It was then decided that the first class of this group of Gray Ladies aspirants will be held at the Gulfport Veterans Hospital on Monday, April 14th and it will be completed by the end of April.

Mrs. White then spoke on the need for Gray Ladies, stating that at the Veterans' Hospital in Gulfport, the services of 40 Gray Ladies are needed daily. Realizing this great need, if you care to join the first class, kindly call Mrs. Leo Seal, phone 164.

Members of the class are Mesdames, C. D. Blair, Eugene Mogabgab, F. R. Curran, A. Noto, C. Romanoff, E. H. Singreen, A. M. Creighton, J. Roland Weston, J. D. Vaughn, Max Kohler, Claude Hooton and Mrs. Leo Seal.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Edna Rouse, 238 S. E. Abbie Street, Grand Rapids, Mich.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5281 in said Court of Albert L. Rouse, wherein you are a defendant.

This 7th day of April, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Gloria Marie Cook, 1868 St. Anthony St., New Orleans, La.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5282 in said Court of John E. Cook, N. C. M. and Hancock Bank, Guardian, wherein you are a defendant.

This 7th day of April, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Warren N. Ludwig—General Delivery, Shelbyville, Ill.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5275 in said Court of Doris Peterson Ludwig, wherein you are a defendant.

This 24 day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.



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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Municipal Separate School District of the City of Bay St. Louis will, on Saturday, May 3, 1947, at 10:00 A. M., at the office of the Superintendent of the Central School, receive bids for the construction of an eight classroom school building, for the Valena C. Jones school. All bids must be filed prior to 10:00 A. M., May 3, 1947. Plans and specifications for this building may be secured from the office of S. J. Ingram, Superintendent of City Schools, on or after April 11, 1947.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 27th day of March, 1947.

MRS. C. C. McDONALD Secretary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 5266

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Simon L. Engman, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 7th day of February, 1947, and all persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed, within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 18th day of March, 1947.

Edwin J. Engman, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Edmond F. Fahey, Jr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1947, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

Witness my signature this the 20th day of March, A. D. 1947.

MRS. PRINCESS T. FAHEY, Administratrix of the Estate of Edmond F. Fahey, Jr., Deceased.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Eugene George Brown, whose postoffice address is New Orleans, La., and whose street address is unknown.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5277 in said Court of Hazel Stenken Brown, wherein you are a defendant.

This 27 day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Alice Raboteau, a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.; Marlene Raboteau, a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.; Albert Raboteau, Jr., a minor, whose address is 1107 N. Purdum St., Kokomo, Ind.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to answer in said Court and to show cause if any they can why the First Annual and Final Account of Alfred Raboteau, Administrator of the Estate of Alice Raboteau, Deceased, should not be approved and his Bond released wherein you are a defendant.

This 20th day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Clyde Walton Lanier, Non-Resident Defendant, whose actual residence, Location, Street and Post-office address are unknown.

You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, at Bay St. Louis, on the Second Monday of May, 1947, to answer bill of complaint of Dorothy Lanier, wherein you are defendant for divorce and custody of child.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, on this 31st day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Chancery Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Willis Missmore, a Minor, whose address is 2114 Jackson Ave., New Orleans, Louisiana; Joseph Missmore, Jr., a Minor, whose address is 2114 Jackson Ave., New Orleans, La.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to show cause in said Court why the First Annual and Final Account of Maude Vandange Missmore, Administratrix of the Estate of Joseph O. Missmore, Dec'd, should not be approved and said Administratrix and her bondsmen should not be discharged, and the Heirs placed in possession of said Estate, wherein you are a defendant.

This 24 day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To Waymon Carr.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5269 in said Court of Edith Spotorno Carr, wherein you are a defendant.

This 12th day of March, A. D. 1947. (SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

Compare!

What do you think railroads make?



15%

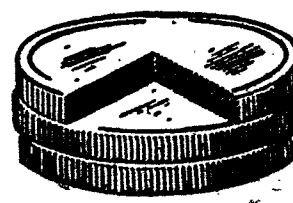
What do you think they should make?



10%

What are the facts?

Actually the railroads earned only 2 3/4% in 1946.
To provide the service you want, railroads need to earn at least 6%. But estimates indicate that even with the recent freight rate increase, the return for 1947 will be only about half that requirement.



2 3/4%

Why it takes 6% to make the grade...

Impartial research poll shows that, on the average, people think we make 15%. They also think a fair return would be 10%.

What We Make

But for the year 1946, with the biggest peace-time traffic in history, the railroads earned only... 2 3/4%. This is less than one-half the comparable earnings for other industries.

The reasons for this low return are not hard to find. Since 1939 railroad wages have increased 52 1/2% and the prices of fuel, materials and supplies have gone up 61 1/2%.

But freight rates have just recently been increased an average of only 17 1/2%—a year after the effective date of the last big wage increase.

What About This Year?

It is estimated that the return for 1947, even with the recent freight rate increase, will be only about half the 6% minimum return required to provide the improvements and service needed. This will be because of increased cost of materials and supplies, because certain wage increases granted in

were in effect for only part of 1946 but will be in effect for all of 1947; because of increased special payroll taxes on railroads; and because of a decline in passenger business.

What Does This Mean To You?

The answer is "Plenty!" Your standard of living is the highest in the world because of MASS PRODUCTION. But mass production would not be possible without MASS TRANSPORTATION, which the railroads provide at low cost.

Why 6% Is Needed

The kind of service you standard of living requires takes a lot of money for new equipment and improvements. To carry out the post-war improvement program for better equipment, tracks, terminals and modern safety devices, a minimum return of 6% is needed.

So when the railroads make only 2 3/4 cents on each \$1.00 of their net property investment, it concerns you.

The funds for future new equipment and improvements must come from railroad earnings and also from investors. They will furnish money on reasonable terms only if they have confidence in the future earnings of the railroads.

You Have Another Stake In This

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Veterans' News

Three hospitals in the Dallas Branch Area of the Veterans Administration have been designated as plastic surgery centers. Dr. Lee D. Cady, Branch Medical Director, has announced.

They are VA hospitals at McKinney, Texas, and New Orleans, La., and the Army's William Beaumont General Hospital at El Paso, Texas. The latter is available when VA's facilities are over-taxed, Dr. Cady said.

Some of the finest plastic surgeons in the country are available to veterans at these centers through agreements with Southwestern Medical School, Dallas, and Tulane and

Louisiana State University medical schools.

Dr. Cady said it is contemplated that the center at McKinney will be moved to the VA hospital in Dallas at a later date for the convenience of both veterans and plastic surgeons engaged in the VA medical program.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Why is it the National Service Life Insurance premiums are so low, yet there are no restrictions as to occupation, travel or residence?

A. Premiums are kept at a mini-

num because all operating expenses and all excess costs resulting from death or total disability traceable to the extra hazard of the military or naval service are borne by the government and paid from separate appropriations.

Q. I would like to reinstate my National Service Life Insurance term policy which lapsed in 1945, and would like to know how to go about it?

A. Through August 1, 1947 the requirements to reinstate a term policy up to and including August 1, 1947, regardless of the date of lapse, are the payments of only two monthly premiums and a signed statement that you are in as good health as you were on the date of such lapse. Such statement of comparative health ordinarily will be acceptable. You can obtain an ap-

plication for reinstatement at any Veterans Administration office.

Q. What is the due date of my premium on my National Service Life Insurance policy?

A. The date on which a premium is due is the same date in the month as that on which the insurance originally was made effective. This date is on the insurance certificate.

Q. My National Service Life Insurance premiums have been waived due to a total disability. Can I convert my term insurance to a permanent plan and still have my premiums waived?

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FARM OUTLOOK

The Department of Agriculture forecasts that American farmers will enjoy another bumper crop year, as the Nation emerges from a generally favorable winter. Wheat prospects are especially good and corn planting will probably reach an all time high, with the result that more hogs and cattle will be fattened and meat supplies will increase. Pastures, too, are generally good, the Department reports.

Unfavorable weather conditions, plus a lack of machinery, fertilizer and seeds, have dimmed the prospects of large harvests in Europe. Therefore, it is anticipated that the demand for American crops in the heavily populated parts of that continent will continue. Food prices, which are about 98% higher now than in prewar days, although causing salaried industrial worker to tighten his pursestrings have been a terrific boon to farmers in raising their standard of living.

It is also generally felt that the demand for cotton will continue to be brisk. The fact that the government has disposed of a substantial portion of its government-held cotton is also encouraging.

EDUCATION CRISIS

The Nation's education system is facing a real crisis—there is a tragic shortage of qualified teachers.

The educators, who teach for the love of teaching and have in most instances sacrificed their talents which might earn them twice as much in other fields, are deserving of the highest tribute that can be paid them. It hardly seems fair that a teacher, who is generally required to have at least four years of college work, should receive less money than a coal miner but in most states such is the case. It is therefore not hard to understand why a number of our competent and badly needed teachers have left the educational field for more lucrative employment, and it now seems imperative that they must be lured back by the offer of higher wages.

We are all agreed that the education of America's children is of paramount importance to the future of the country and should not be neglected. But the individual states are finding it increasingly difficult to pay higher salaries and the Federal Government has found it necessary to assist them in meeting their expenses chiefly through financing public works. We feel that additional Federal assistance must be provided to guarantee the high educational standards which are so vital to continued American progress and are working to secure the enactment of legislation providing Federal aid without Federal control to our public schools.

SELECTIVE CUTTING PRACTICES

The following advice to landowners who are taking advantage of the rise in timber values to dispose of their logs and other forest products, is given by M. O. Stark, Director, Forest Management Division of the Mississippi Forest and Park Service. This advice is passed on to the farmers and landowners with the hope that they will profit from it.

With the rising demand for lumber and wood products, many of the farmers are selling their timber. If the farmers and landowners are wise they will have their timber cut selectively.

The person selling his timber should not allow it to be cut in ways that materially reduce the income producing capacity of his lands.

The mistake of excessive cutting of timber has too long been made, heavy cutting will greatly reduce the annual farm income over a period of years.

On the other hand, through the application of selective cutting, and other simple forestry practices, the benefits from timber growing may be greatly increased and extended.

Timber stands may be maintained and continuous crops marketed if you will:

Cut your timber selectively.

Protect it from fire and other injuries.

Have the trees felled and logged in a way that will not injure the smaller ones.

Select the trees to be cut, with the help of your forest ranger, or of one who has practical knowledge of good selective cutting practices.

Dr. Leon D. Johnson

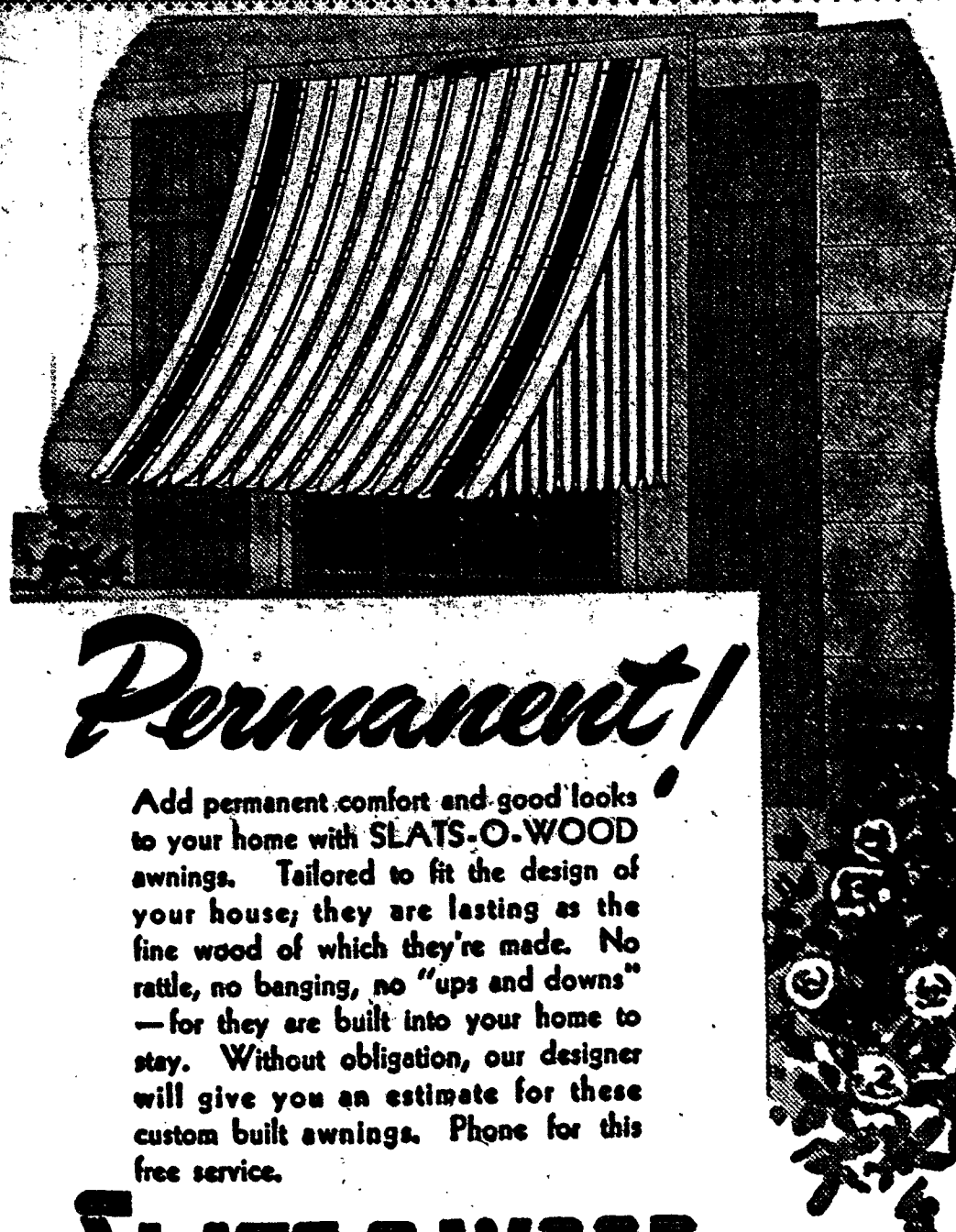
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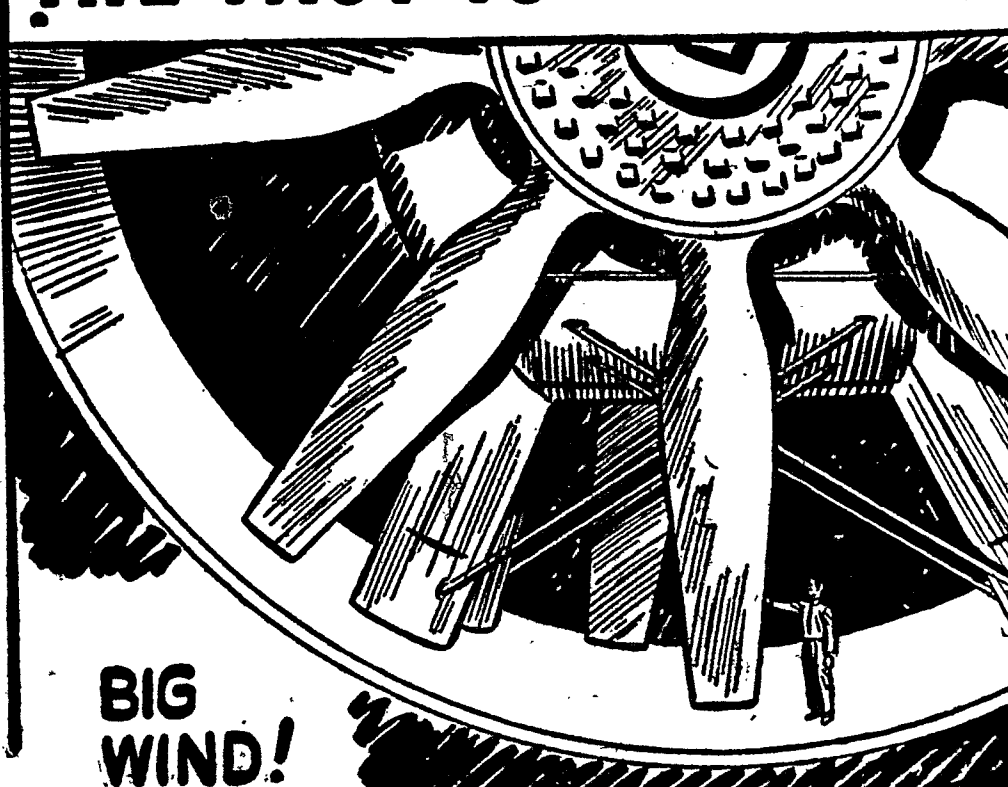
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**BAY HIGH, BILOXI
WIN BOXING TOURNEY**

The Tigers of Bay High and the Indians of Biloxi emerged victorious in the boxing tournament held in Bay High Gym last Thursday, Fri-

day and Saturday nights. The Tigers won the lightweight trophy with 26 points and Belzoni was second with 19 points. The Indians captured the heavyweight trophy with 18 points. G. C. M. A. came in second with 12 points. The Biloxi boys also took the team

trophy with 30 points while Bay Hi was pushing them for top honors, with 29 points. The tournament featured good fights all the way through, and the matches were probably the best seen locally in many years.

Handsome mounted golden trophies were awarded to the winning team, and to the teams getting the most points in the lightweight and heavyweight divisions. Individual awards of golden boxing gloves were awarded to the winners in each weight.

Individual winners were: T. Randolph of Bay Hi; T. Thornton of Biloxi; M. Williamson of Belzoni; B. Capdepon of St. Stanislaus; R. Morel of Bay Hi; H. Price of Bay Hi; D. Ward of Biloxi; J. Bell of St. Stanislaus; C. Colson of Bay Hi; T. Schultz of Bay Hi; R. Curran of

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Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, April 13, 14, 15—
Tyronne Power, Gene Tierney, John Payne, Anne Baxter, Clifton Webb, Herbert Marshall

Darryl F. Zanuck has transformed W. Somerset Maugham's "The Razor's Edge" into one of the finest motion pictures ever to reach the screen. The Twentieth Century-Fox picture starring Tyronne Power, Gene Tierney, John Payne, Anne Baxter, Clifton Webb and Herbert Marshall, will be at the Ortie Theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, April 13, 14, 15, and will provide a rare and wondrous film experience.

As all who have read the book must know, "The Razor's Edge" is the powerful and deeply probing story of one man's passionate search for true peace and inner contentment, a search that tore him from all love and sent him plunging into strange places half-way across the world. And, too, it is the story of the woman who loved him, and of her desperate and ruthless plot to save him from himself and for herself.

Tyronne Power gives the finest performance of his career in the role of the sensitive and introspective Larry Darrell. Gene Tierney tops all her previous portrayals in the role of the love-mad and spiteful Isabel. Each of the other stars is equally superb in the other important roles John Payne as Gray Martin who vies with Larry for Isabel's affections; Anne Baxter as the tragic dipsomaniac, Sophie; Clifton Webb as the supercilious sophisticate, Elliott Templeton; and Herbert Marshall as the author Maugham, himself.

**Dr. A. P. Smith Absent
From Office This Week**

Dr. A. P. Smith will be absent from his office this week. Dr. Smith has enrolled at the Tulane Medical School, New Orleans, for the week's course on Cancer. As the public is aware the United States Government has designated April as Cancer Control month and this course is offered doctors who are eligible for enrollment in the class.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith left Sunday afternoon for New Orleans where they will be for the week. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sewell III and little daughter have also returned to New Orleans after several weeks spent here with Mrs. Sewell's parents.

St. Stanislaus; C. Comeaux of Biloxi; Linton of Demonstration; D. Martin of Belzoni; Broomes of G. C. M. A.; Corley of G. C. M. A.

Team points were Biloxi, 30; Bay High 29; Belzoni, 27; G. C. M. A. 24; St. Stanislaus 16 and Home Demonstration 14.

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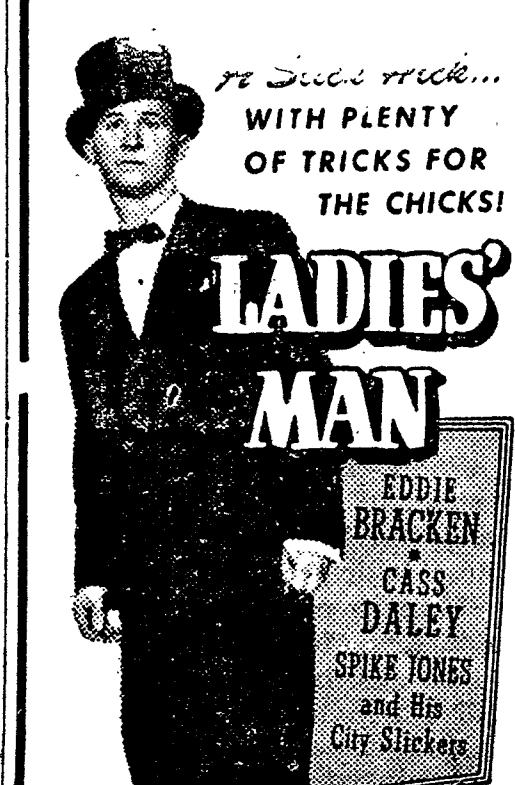
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April 10-11
JANE FRAZEE
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Cartoon—News

Saturday, April 12
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"Jungle Girl" No. 4—Comedy

Sunday and Monday
April 13-14



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Tuesday and Wednesday

April 15-16
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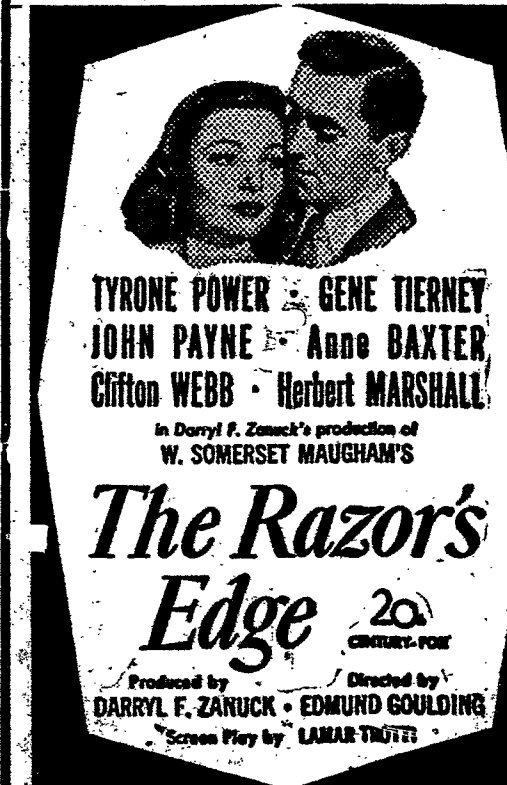
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Friday, April 11
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Selected Short Subjects
Latest Univ. News

Saturday, April 12
DOUBLE BILL DAY
JAMES STEWART &
ROSALIND RUSSELL in
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And
"MARKED TRAIL"
BOB STEEL
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Sunday-Monday-Tuesday



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April 16—One Day Only
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Thursday, April 17—One Day Only
GENE TIERNEY
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Weiners, lb. 36c
Pure Lard, lb. 38c

Ole Margarine lb. 44c

Idaho White
Irish Potatoes, 5 lbs. 18c
Delicious Apples, 2 lbs. 25c

Onions 3 lb. 12c

Oranges, 5 lbs. 30c
Cabbage, 3 lbs. 10c
Lettuce, 1 lb. 10c

Bananas lb. 10c

Great Northern Beans, 1 lb. 15c
Page Evap. Milk, 14 oz. 13c
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Tomato Juice, 18 oz. 9c
Spinach, 18 oz. 9c
Turnip Greens, 18 oz. 9c
Sliced Beets, 18 oz. 9c
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Tomato Soup 10c
Tomato Catsup, 22c
Light Crust Flour, 5 lbs. 45c

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All Brands Cigarettes, 1 Carton \$1.88

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kimmel, Jr., entertained at a very enjoyable party at their home on Sunday afternoon honoring their young daughter Linda on the occasion of her seventh birthday.

The color scheme was pink and white and the table was very beautifully decorated with pink and white Camellias and centered with a large pink and white birthday cake, which held seven candles. The room was also decorated in pink and white with colored balloons extending from the ceiling.

Balloons, candy and hats were given the little guests present and prizes were won by some of the children in competitive games.

Those present were Margie Green, Carol, Gail and Beverly Banderet, Diana Netto, Joe and Ronald Johnston, Antonia Guerra, Dale and Jeffrey Schultz, Catherine and Gaspar Spinzula, Gloria and Yvonne Kimmel, Mrs. Carl Banderet, Mrs. Ed Kimmel, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Graham, Mrs. Warren Drewes, Mrs. Chest Schultz, Mrs. E. Guerra, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bourgeois.

ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Dr. J. A. Evans was elected president of the recently organized Mississippi Coast Dental Society, composed of dentists from Hancock, Harrison and Jackson counties. Other officers are Dr. Lel Smith of Biloxi, vice president; Dr. Thomas E. Stout of Pascagoula, secretary and treasurer.

Dr. and Mrs. Evans entertained at a dinner on Wednesday evening at Edgewater Gulf Hotel complimentary to the officers and their wives. Their guests were Dr. and Mrs. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Stout and Dr. and Mrs. Kermith Chadwick, Gulfport, president of the Gulfport Dental Society.

Postmaster Leo G. Ford, was a visitor to New Orleans, on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. C. G. Moreau was a visitor to New Orleans for the Easter holiday season.

Mrs. R. N. Blaize and Miss Julia Blaize had with them for the Easter season Miss Regina Blaize of New Orleans and John B. Blaize a student at L. S. U.

Mrs. Nellie T. Watson, Hotel Reed, has recovered from a recent illness. She had with her for a ten day stay her son A. B. Watson of New York.

Mrs. Ralph Rugan of New Orleans and her sister Mrs. G. Ford from Texas were guests here last week of Mrs. A. G. Exnicios, Mrs. C. G. Moreau and Miss Josie Miller.

Mrs. A. A. Kergosien had with her during Easter her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Kergosien and children from Bogalusa.

Mrs. Ruth Beyer Francis of New Orleans spent the Easter week end here visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Beyer and her cousin Miss Alberta Beyer.

Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Pierce left Sunday night for a two weeks trip and will visit Mr. Pierce's parents in Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Pierce's family in Gibsonville, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Guerre of New Orleans and Leon Davis of Greenville were guests here last week end of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Moore and their son Hugh Moore.

The officers of the Women's Society of Christian Service met on Monday last week at the home of Mrs. E. H. Singree and completed their reports and mailed them to headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Allen Borden and Mrs. Borden's sister Mrs. A. P. Firmest of Marksville, La. spent the Easter Holidays here with their sister and brother Miss Carmelite Spotorno and L. N. C. Spotorno.

Our genial friend Mr. George Pitcher received a few friends and a lot of congratulations on the occasion of his eighty-sixth birthday on Sunday, April 6. Mr. Pitcher may be 86 by the calendar but in heart and spirit he is sixteen and has a pleasant smile for everybody.

We are glad to have encouraging news from Mrs. Emile Gex who is patient in the Ochsner Clinic and is said to be better and of Arthur Scaffie who is said to be holding his own at his home here where he was brought from Touro Infirmary more than a week ago. We hope they will both keep up and soon be out.

At the April meeting of the Bay St. Louis Circle of Kings Daughters held on Monday of this week it was decided to begin work at once on the painting of the women's ward of the hospital and have it in readiness for the annual shower given each year on the birthday of Florence Nightingale on May 12.

CELEBRATES EIGHTY-NINTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Charles Morel celebrated her eighty-ninth birthday on Thursday, March 27 at the home of her son and had all of her children with her for dinner; her daughters Mrs. August Taconi, Bay St. Louis and Mrs. A. W. Calhoun of New Orleans; her sons Teddy Morel of Bay St. Louis and Charles R. Morel of New Orleans. She had also her 30 grandchildren, and 37 great grandchildren and her only sister who is 83 years old.

Mrs. Morel had the usual birthday cake which had 89 candles and it was emblematic of the thoughtfulness of her children. How many of the world's best men and women are too often forgotten and grow old alone! It was a sweet gesture on the part of Mrs. Morel's family to remember her on this eventful day.

Out of town guests here for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morel, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. August Johnson, Mrs. William Weber.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., to be delivered to the clerk of this Board not later than 11 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, MAY 5TH, 1947 for furnishing to Hancock County, Miss., in place on the Lakeshore Road, the following materials, to-wit:

18000 Gallons M. C.-15 Asphalt Prime
50000 Gallons A. C.-15 Asphalt Cement

Each bid shall be accompanied by cashiers or certified check or bid bond in the sum of 5% of the bid. The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the amount of his bid for the faithful performance of his contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
This the 10th day of April, A. D. 1947.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

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2200 Tons Slag, or the alternate of 1500 Cu. Yards of Coarse Gravel and 750 Cu. Yards of Fine Gravel, the bid on gravel shall be F. O. B. Pit.

All of the above material shall meet State Highway Specifications and which said specifications are on file in the office of the clerk of this Board.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To W. D. Bolton, a non-resident of the State of Mississippi, and whose postoffice and street address is unknown.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5286 in said Court of Mrs. W. D. Bolton, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 9th day of April, A. D. 1947.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
To The Heirs at law of Mrs. Susie Reuter, deceased.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 2nd Monday of May, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5285 in said Court of Adam L. Reuter and Walter F. Reuter, to be recognized as the sole and only heirs at law of Mrs. Susie Reuter, deceased, and as such to be placed in possession of her estate, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 9th day of April, A. D. 1947.
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executive Notice to Creditors of Louis Alfred Besancon, Sr., Deceased. Letters of administration have been granted on the 9th day of April, 1947, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned as executrix upon the estate of Louis Alfred Besancon, Sr., deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present and have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said court within six months from this date or they will forever be barred.

This the 9th day of April, 1947.
MRS. LUCILLE BESANCON HEDGE, Executrix.

A three-line message in the Echo's Classified Column will rent that spare room for you. Only 30c. A day.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the voters in the Democratic Primaries to be held in August 1947.

FOR STATE SENATOR
OTHO RESTER
CORNELIUS J. LADNER

FOR SHERIFF & TAX COLLECTOR
A. G. (RED) FAVRE
FOR CHANCERY & CIRCUIT CLERK

GEORGE L. CUEVAS
JOHN A. EGLOFF
FOR REPRESENTATIVE

EMILE J. GEX, JR.
FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
DISTRICT NO. 5

HENRY T. FAYARD, SR.
ATTEND BIRTHDAY PARTY
IN NEW ORLEANS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Townsend Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Brewster Mollere, J. T. Wolfe and Jack Wolfe spent Sunday in New Orleans the occasion being the eighty-second birthday of Mrs. Wolfe's mother. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horgan and little daughter Dianne of Gautier and Mrs. Vickie Calogne.

Mrs. Eagan is the last of her immediate family and is one of the descendants of an early family, the Toulmes, of this section and is a native of Bay St. Louis.

OUT FOR FIRST TIME
Mrs. Rene de Montluzin, Sr., made her first trip out of her house since her accident several months ago when she fell and broke her hip. She went to the "Drug Store" on her crutches on Good Friday. It was a big day for her and for her family too.

On Sunday Mrs. de Montluzin celebrated her birthday which fell on Good Friday, with her family with her. The table was bright with flowers, some of them being gifts of thoughtful friends and relatives. Dining together were Mr. and Mrs. Rene deMontluzin, Sr., their son and daughter-in-law and all of Mrs. deMontluzin's own family.

RETURN FROM AUTO TRIP
Misses Mary and Nina diBenedetto have returned from an automobile trip to Miami, Florida. They report a wonderful time but are glad to be back in Bay St. Louis.

The young ladies visited Waukula Springs, Fountain of Youth, Marine Land Aquarium, Rainbow Springs and of course took in the races. They took a plane trip to Havana for a week end and visited the Morrow Castle and enjoyed the Street Carnival.

They had the pleasure of being dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julio Andrade. The Andrades will be in Bay St. Louis shortly for a visit. Mr. Andrade is remembered here by many friends for he at one time served as secretary to Brother Peter of St. Stanislaus.



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Chas A. Breath, Jr.

—Mrs. Charles Strong, who has been a patient at Hotel Dieu, New Orleans for the past two weeks has been brought to her home here and though still not able to be up is much improved.

—News was received of the death of Mr. Frank Ponder on Sunday, March 30 at his home in Jackson after a long illness. Mr. Ponder is survived by his wife and a daughter Mrs. Justin Green who is well known here.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scates of Jackson, have purchased the Claiborne Lader home in Ballentine street and will make Bay St. Louis their home. At present Mr. Scates is in California but will join Mrs. Scates here shortly. Mrs. Scates is associated with the Beach Beauty Shop.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jason Floyd nee Miss Beatrice Smith and Mrs. Pearl Floyd left last week for Gulfport where they will make their home in the future. Bay St. Louis regrets losing these splendid citizens.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kergosien had with them during the Easter season their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vernon and little son of Earle Arkansas and their son Gregory Gaines Kergosien a student at the University of Mississippi.

—John A. Green, United States Army, was a visitor here this past week to his grandfather and other relatives. He had been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Osbourne Green in Mobile and left here for New Orleans and left from there for California from which point he will sail for overseas.

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City Echoes

—John Bell left this week for a six weeks business trip through this southern section.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Overby of Jackson were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scates.

—Miss Ruth Gray had as her guest here at the home of her parents James Robert Pace of State College, Miss.

—Miss Audrea Quintini, R. N., left last week for New Orleans where she has accepted a position in the Veterans' Hospital.

—Leroy McFarland of Natchez, spent a part of the Easter Holidays here visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rollins and daughters.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Trauth have sold their home and farm on Kiln Road and will leave shortly for New Orleans their former home.

—Miss Lillian Ladner, pleasant telephone operator, is on her annual vacation. She will spend a part of it on other parts of the Gulf Coast.

—Mrs. T. L. Cook left last week for Chicago where she was met by Mr. Cook whom she accompanied to Muskegan, Michigan. Mr. Cook is Field Service agent for the Norge Factory and works out of Muskegan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Piazza, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Mauffray and son Larry went in to New Orleans last week to attend the Ice Holiday.

—Mrs. J. G. Brechtel will return to New Orleans this week after three months spent here with her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Borgstede.

—Last week in writing the names of the Rotary Board of Directors, Mr. Ted Robin's name was published instead of Mr. Ted Rebol, as a member of the board.

—Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Baker and son of Natchez former residents of Bay St. Louis were recent visitors here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold May.

—We regret to chronicle the illness of Dr. J. A. Evans who has been absent from his office for the past week. He has been confined to his home since last Friday.

—Mrs. James Norwood of Baton Rouge and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Copping of Slidell were visitors during the Easter season as guests of their relatives Mr. and Mrs. Reeder.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Camors had as their guests here for a few days last week Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jaubert and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Roth all of New Orleans.

—Mrs. E. R. Ranson has returned from a month's visit to Memphis, Tenn., where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Foley and of her nephew and niece Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ranson. Mrs. Ranson was the recipient of much social attention and reports a wonderful time.

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